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E.O. 11652: N/A
TAGS: BEXP, BTRA, MZ, US, KE
SUBJ: DETA AIRCRAFT PURCHASE

REF: STATE 314152

1. EMBOFF SPOKE WITH BARONE OF DETA, WHO WISHES CLARIFY SUBSTANCE OF HIS DECEMBER TELCON WITH BRANDT OF NORTHWEST. BARONE TOLD BRANDT THAT EITHER BARONE WOULD TRAVEL TO US JANUARY 10 OR BRANDT WOULD RECEIVE TELEX ON OR BY THAT DATE FROM BANK OF MOZAMBIQUE STATING THAT TRANSFER OF $2.17 MILLION DOWN PAYMENT TO NORTHWEST ACCOUNT HAD BEEN MADE. AT TIME OF TELCON, BARONE THOUGHT THAT FINANCIAL ARRANGEMENTS WITH CITIBANK WOULD BE CONCLUDED, AND BARONE CALLED BRANDT TO INFORM HIM OF THIS AND TO GAIN ASSURANCE THAT PLANES WOULD NOT BE SOLD TO ANOTHER BUYER BEFORE FINANCING COULD BE COMPLETED.

2. CITIBANK REGIONAL REP STRIEKER HAS INDICATED TO DETA THAT HE WILL BE ABLE TRAVEL TO MAPUTO JANUARY 12 FOR LOAN NEGOTIATIONS. BARONE IS THEREFORE POSTPONING HIS TRAVEL PLANS, BUT HAS BEEN IN CONTACT WITH BANK OF MOZAMBIQUE REGARDING DOWN PAYMENT. HE HAS NOT YET RECEIVED ANSWER FROM BANK OF MOZAMBIQUE, BUT EXPECTS FAVORABLE RESPONSE THIS WEEK.

3. BARONE WAS ANXIOUS TO CLEAR UP ANY MISUNDERSTANDING OF TELCON,
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AND AGAIN REQUESTS THAT BRANDT BE INFORMED OF DETA'S SERIOUS INTENTIONS REGARDING PURCHASE. BARONE IS AWARE OF OTHER BUYER INTEREST IN PLANES, THEREFORE DETA IS TRYING TO COMPLETE DEAL AS RAPIDLY AS POSSIBLE. BARONE PROMISED INFORM EMBOFF AND BRANDT AS SOON AS HE RECEIVES ANSWER FROM BANK OF MOZAMBIQUE ON TRANSFER.

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4. FOR NAIROBI: PLEASE INFORM CITIBANK REP STRIEKER THAT FLIGHT
FOR WHICH HE HAS RESERVATION JANUARY 12, EC 993, IS NO LONGER
A DIRECT FLIGHT TO MAPUTO. THAT FLIGHT CONNECTS AT DAR ES SALAAM
WITH DETA FLIGHT TM 457 LEAVING DR 1400 ARRIVING MAPUTO 1615.
BARONE HAS REQUESTED APPOINTMENT FOR STRIEKER WITH VICE
GOVERNOR OF BANK OF MOZAMBIQUE FOR MORNING JANUARY 13.
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